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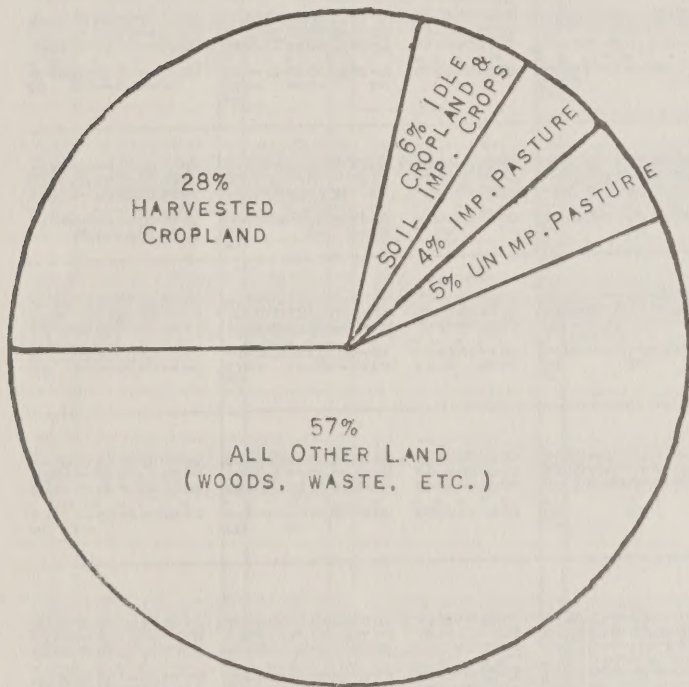
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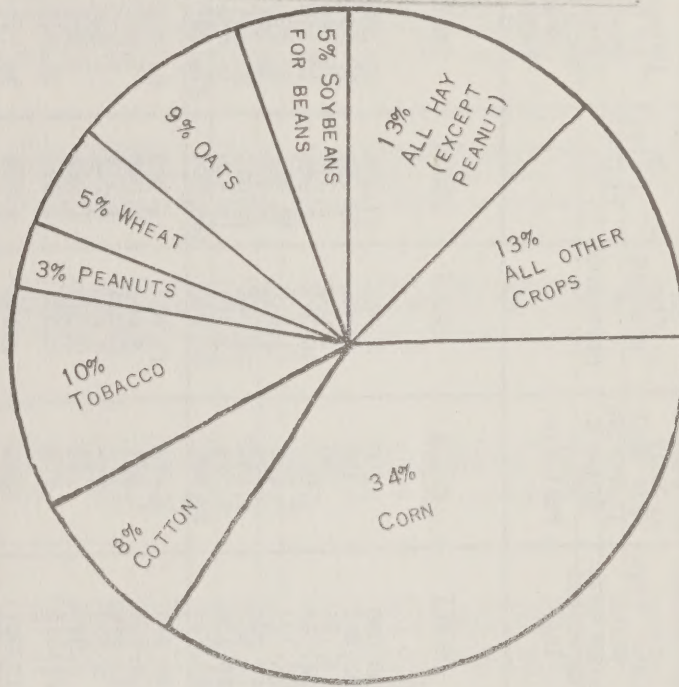
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Utilization Of Farm Land 1955



Percent Of Total Crops Harvested 1955



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NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1955 CROPS 1/

Source - January 1956 Farm Census Enumeration

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	Total Land In Farms 1955	Harvested Cropland --- Land From Which Crops were Harvested 1955	Land Used Only For Soil Improving Crops & Failures	Idle No Crop Planted or Harvested	Im- proved Pasture	Unimprov- ed Open Pasture Exclude Wood and Swamp Pasture	All Other Land Woods Cutover, Home- sites,	Corn Grown for all Purposes (Exclude Sweet Corn)	Cotton Harvested	Tobacco Harvested	Peanuts Grown Alone for all Purposes
	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES
District 1											
Alleghany.....	132,155	20,005	470	708	17,569	52,563	40,840	3,496	-	173	-
Ashe.....	258,429	35,655	193	3,423	22,982	90,614	105,562	6,944	-	1,009	-
Avery.....	88,592	14,121	126	2,054	3,177	20,743	48,371	1,694	-	1,101	-
Caldwell.....	166,279	23,745	1,062	10,373	6,906	10,130	114,063	5,978	50	532	17
Curry.....	289,714	62,791	7,355	11,669	16,885	16,306	174,708	19,532	-	15,457	-
Watauga.....	156,726	22,582	1,183	2,939	9,467	49,284	72,271	3,884	-	1,746	-
Wilkes.....	326,074	48,662	4,303	16,683	15,075	23,647	222,704	13,223	92	1,923	-
Yadkin.....	200,932	58,150	6,294	12,197	13,643	10,714	99,934	13,141	47	10,690	8
NORTHERN MOUNTAIN (N.W.)	1,618,901	280,711	19,986	60,046	105,704	274,001	878,453	67,892	189	30,631	25
District 4											
Buncombe.....	261,434	36,843	2,458	11,651	14,269	61,025	135,188	11,157	-	1,371	-
Burke.....	170,425	24,625	1,357	9,865	6,046	7,557	120,975	7,620	65	18	6
Cherokee.....	144,531	13,670	1,772	5,334	4,714	7,312	112,729	6,575	-	43	-
Clay.....	56,119	9,577	723	2,629	3,726	5,802	33,662	3,963	-	67	-
Graham.....	39,803	4,379	330	2,293	1,096	3,993	27,712	1,786	-	297	-
Haywood.....	167,523	21,815	668	2,518	12,922	56,849	72,751	7,617	-	1,007	-
Henderson.....	115,920	12,007	284	2,271	3,939	18,731	78,688	4,072	-	72	-
Jackson.....	106,532	12,389	920	5,486	3,823	5,468	78,446	4,684	-	16	13
McDowell.....	132,448	17,712	635	5,314	4,970	19,301	84,516	6,124	-	41	-
Macon.....	224,473	30,366	3,075	7,462	12,007	62,495	109,068	8,494	-	2,480	-
Madison.....	88,343	13,982	3,491	2,762	3,740	16,190	51,178	2,422	-	2,450	-
Mitchell.....	88,946	14,791	325	7,248	5,508	4,120	56,954	5,334	1,642	2	8
Polk.....	261,729	54,709	2,449	27,032	13,210	11,518	152,811	15,903	9,646	31	54
Rutherford.....	48,649	5,144	277	1,087	2,365	3,928	35,710	2,217	-	34	-
Swain.....	59,805	12,380	277	1,761	5,409	2,480	37,498	5,345	-	20	-
Transylvania.....	123,972	19,589	693	5,109	7,008	26,110	65,463	4,721	-	1,043	-
Yancey.....	2,234,324	336,351	18,422	121,022	118,715	324,526	1,315,288	110,867	11,353	7,018	83
WESTERN (MOUNTAIN AREA) 2/											
District 2											
Alamance.....	239,655	55,338	3,464	19,802	19,654	9,957	127,440	16,590	74	6,151	13
Caswell.....	264,081	50,870	7,912	21,116	9,318	8,211	166,654	14,560	-	12,698	-
Durham.....	141,212	24,804	1,192	7,450	5,997	5,255	96,514	7,708	128	4,934	12
Forsyth.....	197,127	50,334	5,693	17,436	12,198	8,706	102,760	11,533	151	6,122	12
Franklin.....	293,847	74,397	2,470	17,860	7,725	8,279	183,116	24,849	10,423	16,356	30
Granville.....	343,909	82,979	8,474	34,456	22,396	17,794	177,810	19,038	-	12,046	14
Guilford.....	201,337	38,848	1,686	11,646	13,730	8,594	126,833	11,727	80	4,375	-
Orange.....	242,871	49,070	4,318	13,091	7,410	8,068	160,914	16,539	72	13,410	-
Person.....	331,119	68,500	5,393	20,861	13,149	15,204	208,012	16,660	3	17,847	-
Rockingham.....	275,991	52,333	11,614	15,605	7,216	15,199	174,024	15,403	4	15,835	3
Stokes.....	137,803	38,553	1,460	5,432	3,341	6,082	82,935	10,415	3,279	11,376	-
Vance.....	228,319	49,046	1,299	10,038	7,690	11,282	152,964	11,991	7,298	7,465	323
Warren.....	3,184,470	696,304	61,058	207,781	138,734	133,449	1,947,144	200,549	21,880	147,005	498
NORTHERN PIEDMONT (N.) 2/											
District 5											
Alexander.....	137,809	27,782	1,814	10,016	9,194	5,661	83,342	6,590	824	1,559	57
Catawba.....	218,698	71,776	3,027	17,972	16,297	14,266	95,360	12,710	2,701	1,111	88
Chatham.....	320,332	45,640	3,416	19,709	18,069	11,114	222,384	14,323	602	3,764	4
Davidson.....	285,640	61,926	9,424	28,224	15,099	14,127	156,840	14,002	855	4,045	41
Davie.....	158,170	36,969	6,340	12,023	12,527	10,752	79,559	7,961	1,821	1,483	9
Iredell.....	332,552	98,874	11,810	19,637	32,136	20,449	149,646	18,661	10,067	1,578	21
Lee.....	123,743	26,280	7,946	19,743	4,387	3,079	81,308	8,092	1,236	5,720	8
Randolph.....	395,976	69,035	12,964	25,054	17,387	24,559	246,977	21,804	1,106	4,173	48

Rowan.....	428,395	114,740	1,768	23,109	20,843	10,782	257,153	39,646	5,819	26,708	143
Wake.....	2,663,825	627,965	62,275	180,162	168,227	131,501	1,493,695	157,542	30,036	49,081	449
CENTRAL PIEMONT (C.) 2/											
District 8											
Anson.....	289,222	73,784	3,043	9,500	15,004	5,468	182,423	15,656	16,119	602	11
Cabarrus.....	200,928	56,119	3,894	14,691	14,795	15,610	95,819	10,509	5,103	-	44
Cleveland.....	271,230	116,021	6,049	15,607	23,638	9,442	100,473	17,146	36,291	8	19
Gaston.....	166,319	42,001	2,636	12,370	10,824	9,240	89,248	8,940	3,505	7	3
Lincoln.....	178,885	57,851	3,917	12,909	10,868	11,383	81,957	10,237	8,721	7	9
Mecklenburg.....	230,065	58,770	2,582	17,793	16,635	22,502	111,783	11,543	8,471	-	6
Montgomery.....	155,651	26,190	3,073	18,212	4,825	2,238	111,113	6,876	2,080	1,285	15
Moore.....	263,136	43,628	6,248	18,091	7,731	4,902	182,536	13,324	2,564	6,259	145
Richmond.....	195,009	40,739	4,285	24,559	5,300	3,437	116,689	11,014	8,294	2,691	313
Stanly.....	212,131	74,994	2,011	7,102	17,920	5,255	104,849	10,783	2,177	-	14
Union.....	374,169	128,389	3,671	12,321	26,069	19,317	184,202	21,334	17,888	-	25
SOUTHERN PIEMONT (S.)...	2,536,745	718,486	41,409	153,355	153,609	108,794	1,361,092	137,382	111,213	10,859	604
District 3											
Bertie.....	288,231	87,665	263	2,829	7,022	2,242	188,210	37,301	6,859	8,230	24,476
Camden.....	64,016	35,655	-	26,499	1,132	1,755	26,455	17,171	350	8	76
Chowan.....	86,902	34,986	261	231	2,727	492	48,205	14,500	2,529	764	6,748
Currituck.....	84,743	36,076	67	407	1,377	421	46,395	16,140	2,348	-	222
Dare.....	2,371	90	59	234	-	37	1,951	48	-	-	-
Edgecombe.....	306,435	129,789	1,603	4,154	11,854	9,532	149,503	50,366	13,329	15,644	16,652
Gates.....	125,068	41,513	51	13,431	3,746	3,356	78,971	24,895	2,203	366	8,065
Halifax.....	407,561	135,513	1,861	13,309	15,018	5,785	236,075	44,222	25,286	8,694	30,406
Hertford.....	175,405	52,992	1,111	1,691	4,463	11,481	115,667	22,319	4,950	4,576	16,193
Martin.....	209,700	75,064	507	1,305	6,207	2,63	126,354	32,046	2,817	12,004	16,179
Nash.....	325,087	126,570	1,684	7,709	9,674	3,612	175,838	50,498	14,952	25,700	33,992
Northampton.....	308,066	111,056	1,919	5,579	7,146	2,955	179,411	38,678	22,430	597	94
Pasquotank.....	82,814	45,726	89	99	2,557	1,590	32,753	20,302	295	-	3,699
Perquimans.....	106,952	47,971	32	300	2,031	2,202	56,416	20,935	1,536	5	280
Tyrrell.....	43,922	15,240	730	265	2,327	93	6,740	11,907	653	1,300	3,503
Washington.....	74,840	32,994	95	673	3,256	867	36,955	11,907	98,777	77,888	164,137
NORTHERN COASTAL (N.E.)..	2,692,113	1,008,900	9,332	39,715	80,537	29,203	1,524,426	408,068	13,179	13,179	887
District 6											
Beaufort.....	284,756	113,397	5,073	3,230	7,897	1,324	153,835	44,836	1,248	1,737	458
Carteret.....	95,739	52,169	1,867	2,587	3,664	1,342	174,340	3,451	31	11,470	146
Craven.....	187,020	64,090	626	3,875	5,123	1,221	121,844	26,545	466	17,201	301
Greene.....	160,884	76,608	626	1,825	2,354	1,157	78,314	47,824	4,361	-	-
Hyde.....	67,319	33,557	3,290	1,648	1,142	3,33	28,359	14,221	252	32,103	178
Johnston.....	473,997	195,962	2,140	10,088	10,953	7,121	247,733	96,084	22,620	7,652	269
Jones.....	145,790	45,698	2,764	1,928	5,533	1,202	90,665	26,458	2,463	19,361	84
Lenior.....	226,450	96,686	1,902	4,359	5,509	2,488	115,506	59,609	2,16	1,440	20
Pamlico.....	78,512	26,872	2,874	1,603	2,911	627	43,625	10,377	8,124	34,980	6,972
Pitt.....	358,129	157,388	1,892	2,292	9,322	1,960	185,275	78,675	12,709	19,863	117
Wayne.....	308,704	144,222	1,283	6,196	7,712	3,054	146,237	84,727	10,235	24,261	179
Wilson.....	222,533	105,524	1,825	2,464	4,758	1,674	107,308	50,909	63,071	183,267	9,611
CENTRAL COASTAL (E.).....	2,609,853	1,062,173	23,173	41,095	66,878	23,493	1,393,041	543,716	4,335	10,359	5,755
District 9											
Bladen.....	309,061	80,184	2,079	7,977	5,894	4,675	208,252	39,705	4,335	4,570	1,284
Brunswick.....	149,740	32,731	933	6,909	3,261	616	105,290	15,119	320	22,558	2,850
Columbus.....	353,864	128,470	2,083	9,665	9,263	2,973	201,410	62,002	2,801	27,381	581
Cumberland.....	285,925	90,980	2,371	12,800	6,472	3,064	170,238	31,495	14,809	21,568	482
Duplin.....	401,474	140,754	2,701	12,913	9,502	6,020	229,584	47,676	4,113	20,331	39
Harnett.....	314,440	112,099	2,311	12,766	7,408	3,322	176,534	84,072	15,569	4,055	4
Hoke.....	156,753	55,143	4,267	8,265	2,447	2,227	84,404	11,893	17,074	21,250	310
New Hanover.....	29,788	6,667	564	3,029	826	541	18,161	1,717	21	8,695	1,546
Onslow.....	179,031	49,224	1,760	4,666	6,520	2,783	114,078	28,170	333	4,381	1,723
Pender.....	190,468	42,338	1,516	6,799	6,963	1,621	131,231	19,813	50,391	29,009	993
Robeson.....	489,932	244,095	2,596	8,780	10,675	3,219	218,322	103,322	27,124	21,537	1,152
Sampson.....	496,922	177,603	1,829	11,082	8,117	3,536	294,755	83,385	21,326	1,506	36
Scotland.....	150,783	64,047	1,660	5,904	4,164	1,792	73,216	11,988	158,726	156,200	16,757
SOUTHERN COASTAL (S.E.)..	3,508,181	1,224,335	26,670	111,555	81,512	38,389	2,025,720	540,357	495,245	661,949	192,094
STATE TOTAL, 1956 2/.....	21,048,412	5,955,225	262,325	914,731	913,916	1,063,356	11,938,859	2,166,373	560,467	696,548	183,687
STATE TOTAL, 1955 2/ 3/..	21,102,942	6,076,337	262,884	865,050	906,821	1,142,000	11,849,850	2,224,491			

1/ Due to later revisions some county totals shown on this sheet may differ from those on individual county releases.

2/ Includes allowances for counties not reporting or counties having reports inadequate for getting county totals.

NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1955 CROPS 1/

Source - January 1956 Farm Census Enumeration

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	Wheat Thresh- ed or Com- bined	Oats Threshed Combined or cut Ripe for Feed	All Other Small Grains Alone or mixed Threshed, Combined or cut Ripe for Feed	Milo and Other Sor- ghums Combined for Grain	Soy- beans Com- bined for Beans 2/	Lespe- deza Harvest- ed for Seed	HAY CROPS					All Irish Potatoes		
							Lespe- deza cut for Hay	Soy- beans and/or Cow- peas cut for Hay	Small cut for Hay	Alfalfa cut for Hay	All hays cut (Clover, mixed Grasses etc.) (Excluding peanut Hay)			
District 1														
Alleghany.....	200	717	167	30	32	-	30	28	975	1,834	11,707	156		
Ashe.....	139	1,404	483	11	3	2	10	5	1,725	1,507	17,354	572		
Avery.....	41	673	222	3	6	6	24	1	186	24	6,873	1,083		
Caldwell.....	1,680	2,476	853	125	1,683	539	2,791	876	1,005	636	2,395	228		
Curry.....	2,382	2,982	1,133	95	1,678	529	8,577	497	3,468	1,099	4,592	378		
Watauga.....	91	1,441	413	5	-	-	23	4	627	209	10,200	1,250		
Wilkes.....	3,580	1,995	1,118	161	865	558	4,294	1,203	976	1,073	10,577	577		
Yadkin.....	6,454	6,200	4,450	766	285	1,684	10,372	832	2,388	1,273	1,288	280		
NORTHERN MOUNTAIN (N. W.)...	14,567	17,338	8,839	1,196	3,552	3,318	26,116	3,446	11,350	7,653	65,266	4,521		
District 4														
Buncombe.....	231	1,054	824	204	86	123	1,259	692	1,367	3,292	11,116	216		
Burke.....	2,261	3,188	681	353	2,026	375	1,587	1,012	1,221	1,838	4,790	184		
Cherokee.....	36	110	99	26	256	19	137	84	56	77	4,790	313		
Clay.....	12	110	133	63	125	205	510	271	123	145	2,529	105		
Graham.....	-	10	-	172	2	-	42	3	8	1,383	1,726	126		
Haywood.....	96	1,231	240	-	45	21	363	189	409	-	5,980	338		
Henderson.....	-	-	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Jackson.....	1	121	70	97	7	28	250	41	184	368	4,490	463		
McDowell.....	740	411	666	37	1,529	163	376	454	207	200	1,700	83		
Macon.....	36	165	79	23	30	25	174	93	327	743	7,080	551		
Madison.....	99	1,448	333	83	27	35	979	136	638	2,030	11,199	317		
Mitchell.....	6	715	258	2	4	-	67	11	250	667	7,018	536		
Polk.....	965	1,558	203	290	67	34	629	288	1,369	423	354	41		
Rutherford.....	5,299	8,914	1,031	803	683	544	2,298	1,089	2,023	1,947	1,330	129		
Swain.....	87	77	165	7	-	9	281	99	14	75	1,440	286		
Transylvania.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Yancey.....	4	121	200	7	21	16	160	48	458	16	2,798	104		
WESTERN MOUNTAIN AREA) 3/..														
District 2														
Alamance.....	7,343	10,554	1,561	607	1,054	3,400	9,233	952	1,634	776	1,648	81		
Caswell.....	6,450	3,598	1,105	167	86	356	6,785	279	1,177	1,465	1,098	234		
Durham.....	1,401	2,660	1,547	102	103	147	4,052	494	519	301	862	32		
Forsyth.....	5,046	7,270	1,764	586	320	1,634	9,443	727	1,467	2,322	1,690	194		
Franklin.....	3,730	3,690	1,914	232	793	340	3,892	2,804	2,170	344	387	165		
Granville.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Guilford.....	10,354	10,723	3,757	853	713	2,536	14,303	1,587	2,122	2,942	2,255	173		
Orange.....	3,931	6,227	1,584	570	420	592	6,684	890	1,533	1,038	1,780	42		
Person.....	5,152	3,364	597	69	20	297	7,274	163	1,465	395	915	274		
Rockingham.....	7,788	4,285	2,392	297	101	384	8,898	1,061	2,382	2,405	2,868	401		
Stokes.....	2,288	3,817	476	127	96	386	6,142	1,68	2,231	846	1,967	413		
Vance.....	2,021	1,503	519	80	303	91	3,124	1,607	1,606	544	736	212		
Warren.....	3,474	2,771	816	189	730	128	7,145	746	1,447	742	1,398	257		
NORTHERN PIEMONT (N.) 3/..	61,556	64,102	17,449	4,051	5,202	10,581	93,924	13,578	18,473	14,806	19,841	2,857		
District 3														
Alexander.....	3,321	5,000	1,058	448	428	1,053	3,561	672	2,130	723	509	43		
Catawba.....	13,553	14,820	4,137	885	903	7,165	13,515	1,063	3,550	4,031	1,306	37		
Chatham.....	5,264	10,365	1,493	1,906	457	2,348	6,049	786	1,547	456	994	50		
Davidson.....	8,365	8,861	8,116	2,146	315	7,422	10,370	416	1,082	1,131	4,026	129		
Davie.....	3,599	7,791	2,524	763	197	1,451	6,629	454	1,327	1,186	2,803	167		
Iredell.....	16,173	21,209	5,810	1,454	649	6,818	20,923	680	4,082	4,244	3,691	81		
Lee.....	2,235	3,407	5,666	1,197	160	93	1,263	1,737	1,645	85	1,176	45		
Randolph.....	10,469	12,206	4,636	1,847	774	6,264	12,159	-	1,322	1,804	1,506	239		

Wake.....	5,308	9,993	1,651	698	1,329	7,743	5,730	2,726	2,321	1,436	145
CENTRAL PIEMONT (C.) 3/.....	84,691	112,113	34,054	13,912	5,696	96,285	12,298	20,623	17,710	20,463	888
District 8											
Anson.....	5,776	18,501	4,532	4,779	470	5,019	537	2,174	128	583	80
Cabarrus.....	7,454	14,001	3,716	5,694	540	9,841	1,218	1,218	1,091	1,515	17
Cleveland.....	15,357	22,061	4,651	1,738	445	8,512	695	5,242	2,835	1,784	212
Gaston.....	16,941	11,468	2,223	1,390	92	6,409	274	1,821	2,224	1,691	3
Lincoln.....	11,325	12,590	4,366	1,799	382	8,587	185	2,963	2,761	495	24
Mecklenburg.....	5,219	12,528	1,783	1,888	624	11,130	834	2,756	3,644	1,558	36
Montgomery.....	2,568	3,610	1,291	1,243	215	2,090	240	1,430	2,266	1,144	27
Moore.....	3,149	5,523	2,476	1,308	198	1,336	1,545	1,330	308	423	83
Richmond.....	3,543	5,690	856	1,035	188	1,390	1,350	1,515	143	670	34
Stanly.....	14,196	18,237	6,094	19,319	390	6,035	1,132	375	542	511	60
Union.....	10,765	39,450	6,783	20,882	640	6,132	584	3,157	483	1,255	100
SOUTHERN PIEMONT (S.).....	88,293	163,659	37,771	59,075	4,184	66,481	6,830	19,981	14,425	9,629	676
District 3											
Bertie.....	63	309	197	153	7,007	103	349	8	13	44	253
Camden.....	17	442	19	209	14,793	75	16	-	-	2	2,303
Chowan.....	185	131	21	708	4,335	-	95	-	-	30	54
Currituck.....	68	167	35	500	14,815	67	201	10	25	16	2,448
Dare.....	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
Edgecombe.....	2,830	4,355	1,061	2,161	15,048	1,266	1,850	566	461	857	477
Gates.....	2,264	4,104	31	56	3,836	12	36	2	-	4	17
Halifax.....	1,987	3,896	1,350	980	11,496	2,306	643	239	132	518	208
Hertford.....	100	101	111	189	3,099	149	208	27	8	4	76
Martin.....	108	216	48	84	7,776	7	585	62	773	161	248
Nash.....	4,058	9,284	1,117	906	2,554	5,458	2,397	3,334	23	761	428
Northampton.....	1,089	1,708	639	515	7,375	855	516	3,440	23	333	372
Pasquotank.....	1,331	277	81	1,265	17,616	221	401	2	-	54	3,823
Perquimans.....	123	277	24	1,285	19,426	64	15	14	-	22	93
Tyrrell.....	282	101	-	352	6,541	60	40	8	-	6	1,206
Washington.....	167	528	71	166	13,115	273	140	22	3	57	29
NORTHERN COASTAL (N.E.).....	11,672	22,168	4,805	8,529	149,334	10,916	7,492	4,734	1,439	2,371	12,125
District 6											
Beaufort.....	653	7,504	174	566	33,090	2,247	1,863	54	2	122	1,754
Cartaret.....	117	1,284	92	73	1,896	1,178	290	19	27	513	1,760
Craven.....	616	1,822	194	425	7,895	1,152	1,762	151	4	46	127
Greene.....	363	90	90	69	624	680	1,099	108	7	89	350
Hyde.....	33	796	52	98	15,237	546	63	17	-	1	362
Johnston.....	5,519	7,320	1,886	1,554	7,127	3,068	7,441	2,226	235	1,122	441
Jones.....	138	809	196	244	5,066	895	1,219	62	-	154	154
Lenior.....	1,397	2,662	678	191	2,400	1,815	2,033	259	7	309	326
Pamlico.....	288	2,837	82	309	8,083	1,656	642	26	6	42	605
Pitt.....	775	5,447	436	1,002	7,508	3,140	3,818	1,222	75	235	428
Wayne.....	2,633	5,264	709	558	5,965	1,795	2,926	1,356	157	396	894
Wilson.....	1,712	5,179	939	511	1,877	3,046	2,170	1,356	160	1,154	304
CENTRAL COASTAL (E.).....	14,244	40,105	5,528	5,600	96,748	19,218	25,326	5,983	680	4,193	6,502
District 9											
Bladen.....	1,503	5,511	806	836	5,501	1,523	2,503	708	17	263	52
Brunswick.....	408	2,735	570	345	2,992	1,503	2,125	215	5	370	42
Columbus.....	1,311	12,258	983	841	4,191	1,025	7,334	1,473	32	1,557	233
Cumberland.....	5,696	8,615	3,439	1,474	9,749	2,624	2,857	1,302	93	469	41
Duplin.....	1,879	2,913	896	1,560	4,695	2,876	3,087	241	9	1,144	523
Harnett.....	5,190	8,996	1,233	926	3,264	2,064	4,488	1,117	136	347	80
Hoke.....	3,184	8,281	2,956	433	1,301	1,933	2,750	1,312	149	147	47
New Hanover.....	79	247	14	483	1,942	25	147	12	-	72	12
Onslow.....	293	601	97	194	4,455	374	747	141	-	99	228
Pender.....	1,261	2,486	270	510	5,104	343	1,824	220	-	220	50
Robeson.....	5,847	25,044	2,763	602	2,382	7,077	10,085	3,034	109	3,292	630
Sampson.....	4,200	1,089	1,319	1,842	11,338	1,865	3,907	988	91	839	503
Scotland.....	1,120	9,789	2,187	397	5,029	2,331	2,964	53	-	389	23
SOUTHERN COASTAL (S.E.).....	31,971	94,765	17,533	9,443	60,943	23,063	44,818	8,809	641	9,203	2,464
STATE TOTAL, 1956 3/.....	317,375	535,910	131,748	104,055	330,824	346,958	118,651	99,662	72,463	207,272	35,585
STATE TOTAL, 1955 3/ 4/.....	330,379	528,052	128,584	72,798	304,483	408,739	111,495	93,983	67,960	197,461	34,982

1/ Due to late revisions some county totals shown on this sheet may differ from those on individual county releases.

2/ Includes acreage grown alone and in mixtures.

3/ Includes allowance for counties not reporting or counties having reports inadequate for getting a county total.

4/ Revised.

NORTH CAROLINA FARM CENSUS SUMMARY OF 1955 CROPS 1/

Source - January 1956 Farm Census Enumeration

DISTRICTS AND COUNTIES	Wheat Thresh- ed or Com- bined	Oats Thresh- ed or Ripe for Feed	All Other Small Grains Alone or mixed Thresh- ed, Com- bined or cut Ripe for Feed	Milo and Other Sorgh- ums Combined for Grain	Soy- beans Com- bined for Beans 2/	Lespe- deza Harvest- ed for Seed	HAY CROPS						All Irish Potatoes
							Lespe- deza cut for Hay	Soy- beans and/or Cow- peas cut for Hay	Small Grains Green for Hay	Alfa fa cut for Hay	All Other hays cut (Clover, mixed Grasses etc.) (Excluding Peanut Hay)		
	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES	ACRES
District 1													
Alleghany.....	200	717	167	30	32	-	30	28	975	1,834	11,707	156	
Avery.....	139	1,404	483	11	3	2	10	5	1,725	1,507	17,354	572	
Caldwell.....	41	673	222	3	6	6	24	1	186	24	6,873	1,083	
Currituck.....	1,680	2,476	853	125	1,683	539	2,791	876	1,005	636	2,395	238	
Watauga.....	2,382	2,982	1,133	93	678	529	8,577	497	3,468	1,099	4,592	379	
Wilkes.....	91	1,441	413	5	3	-	23	4	627	209	10,200	1,250	
Yadkin.....	3,580	1,995	1,118	161	865	558	4,284	1,203	976	1,073	10,857	577	
NORTH MOUNTAIN (N.W.) 3/	6,454	6,200	4,450	766	285	1,684	10,372	832	2,388	1,273	1,288	280	
District 4	14,567	17,838	8,839	1,196	3,552	3,318	20,116	3,446	11,350	7,655	65,266	4,524	
Buncombe.....	231	1,054	824	204	86	123	1,259	692	1,367	3,292	11,116	216	
Burke.....	2,261	3,188	681	353	2,026	375	1,587	1,012	1,221	1,838	8,715	184	
Cherokee.....	36	110	99	26	256	19	137	84	56	77	4,790	313	
Clay.....	12	110	133	63	125	205	510	271	123	145	2,529	105	
Graham.....	96	1,231	240	172	45	21	363	189	409	1,383	5,980	338	
Henderson.....	1	121	70	46	7	28	250	41	184	368	4,490	463	
McDowell.....	740	411	666	97	1,529	163	376	454	207	200	1,700	85	
Macon.....	36	165	79	23	30	25	174	93	327	743	7,080	551	
Madison.....	89	1,448	333	83	27	35	979	136	638	2,030	11,199	317	
Mitchell.....	6	735	238	69	4	16	167	11	667	7	7,018	536	
Polk.....	965	1,553	208	290	67	34	629	288	1,369	423	3,354	41	
Rutherford.....	5,299	8,914	1,031	803	683	544	2,298	1,089	2,023	1,947	1,330	129	
Swain.....	-	77	165	-	-	-	281	99	14	75	1,440	286	
Transylvania.....	87	121	200	7	21	16	160	48	458	16	2,798	104	
Yancey.....	4	126	102	4	6	30	152	47	453	923	8,415	329	
WESTERN MOUNTAIN AREA 3/	10,381	21,110	5,769	2,249	5,165	1,818	10,955	4,863	9,719	15,107	75,796	5,346	
District 2													
Alamance.....	7,343	10,554	1,561	607	1,054	3,400	9,233	952	1,634	776	1,648	81	
Caswell.....	6,450	3,598	1,105	167	86	356	6,785	279	1,177	1,465	1,098	234	
Durham.....	1,401	2,660	547	102	103	147	4,052	494	519	301	862	32	
Forsyth.....	5,046	7,270	1,764	586	320	1,634	9,443	727	1,467	2,322	1,690	194	
Franklin.....	3,730	3,690	1,914	232	793	340	3,892	2,804	2,170	344	387	165	
Granville.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Gulford.....	10,354	10,723	3,757	853	713	2,536	14,303	1,587	2,122	2,942	2,255	173	
Orange.....	3,931	6,227	1,584	570	420	592	6,684	890	1,533	1,038	1,780	42	
Person.....	5,152	3,364	597	69	20	297	7,274	163	465	395	915	274	
Rockingham.....	7,738	4,283	2,392	297	101	384	8,898	1,061	2,382	2,405	2,868	401	
Stokes.....	2,288	3,817	476	127	96	386	6,142	168	2,281	846	1,967	413	
Vance.....	2,021	1,503	519	80	303	91	3,124	1,607	1,606	544	736	212	
Warren.....	3,474	2,771	816	189	780	128	7,145	746	447	742	1,398	257	
NORTH PIEDMONT (N.) 2/	61,556	64,102	17,449	4,051	5,202	10,581	93,924	13,578	18,473	14,806	19,841	2,857	
District 5													
Alexander.....	3,321	5,000	1,058	448	428	1,053	3,561	672	2,130	723	509	43	
Catawba.....	13,553	14,820	4,137	885	903	7,165	13,515	1,063	3,350	4,031	1,306	37	
Chatham.....	5,264	10,335	1,493	1,906	457	2,348	6,049	786	1,547	456	994	50	
Davidson.....	8,365	8,861	8,116	2,146	315	7,422	10,370	416	1,082	1,131	4,026	129	
Davie.....	3,099	7,791	2,524	763	197	1,451	6,629	454	1,327	1,186	2,303	67	
Iredell.....	16,173	21,209	5,810	1,454	649	6,818	20,923	680	4,082	4,244	3,691	81	
Lee.....	2,235	3,407	666	197	160	93	1,263	1,178	1,645	85	1,706	45	
Randolph.....	10,469	12,206	4,636	1,847	774	6,264	12,159	737	1,322	1,804	1,506	239	
Rowan.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Wake.....	5,808	9,893	1,551	698	1,329	438	7,743	5,730	2,726	2,321	1,436	145	
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DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

FARM LAND -- Total land in farms is the sum of the acreage of all tracts reporting crops harvested or livestock produced during the previous year. This also includes the acreage in farm tracts which were idle during the year.

IMPROVED PASTURE -- The definition of improved pasture as used here is "Any pasture which has been seeded with recommended pasture grass mixtures such as Ladino or grass mixtures, fertilized or otherwise improved". This figure excludes new pasture seeded in the fall of 1955.

ALL OTHER OPEN PASTURE -- Includes all open pasture not reported as improved, but excludes woodland and swampland used for pasture.

CROPS -- Reports for all crops except peanuts are for acreage harvested during 1955. The acreage of peanuts is acreage grown alone for all purposes and includes "acreage hogged", etc.

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER -- The commercial fertilizer question was asked to include all applications of commercial fertilizer used on all crops and pasture during the entire year of 1955. Lime and land plaster are not included.

SOWS AND GILTS -- This question was asked "How many sows and gilts are being kept on the farm for breeding purposes"? In earlier years the question related to numbers of sows and gilts for Spring farrowing.

PEOPLE -- Includes only people living on tracts (3 acres or more) that had some form of agricultural activity in 1955.

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